

LIQUOR DEALERS TO CUT THEIR PRODUCT IN HALF

Lexington, Ky., July 13.—To uphold the price of liquor and to protect the production of the state of Kentucky whiskey will be cut in half, according to an agreement signed by the largest distillers in the state.

The agreement was submitted by a special committee, which included W. O. Bonnie and E. M. Babbitt of Louisville, Louis Rosenfeld of Chicago and E. I. Johnson of Cincinnati. It is probable that Ohio, Indiana and Illinois distillers will adopt the same course.

Statistics show consumption has increased from 2,000,000 gallons a year to 30,000,000 gallons. The output for the same period increased from 20,000,000 gallons to 40,000,000 gallons.

PRICE OF MEATS JUMP, FEW EGGS ARE STORED

New York, July 13.—An advance in the retail price of lamb, pork and veal of from two to four cents a pound in the next week or two to meet the increased cost to wholesalers is predicted by provision dealers.

With the prospect of light meat during the summer, as dealers expect a steady increase and no reduction before fall, comes the news that fewer eggs are carried in storage than last winter, when they sold for 35 cents a dozen. According to the report of the Associated Warehousemen of the United States, which includes forty-five of the leading refrigerator plants, there were held in these plants on July 1 47,055,000 dozen eggs, or 500,000 dozen less than a year ago.

Some consolation for the housekeeper, however, is found in the increase in eggs and stocks of butter. June is the banner month for butter production and this year was unusually favorable. The Associated Warehousemen reported there were held in the 46 leading plants on July 1, 43,173,000 pounds of butter. Of this amount fully 7,175,000 pounds were carried over last season, leaving the actual amount stored during June 36,000,000 pounds. These 36,000,000 pounds cost in the coolest about 23 cents a pound, making the value of the butter stored during June \$10,000,000. The increased make during June was 1,900,000 pounds more than June, 1913.

IF YOU'RE ILL, EAT SAND.

Indiana Politicians, Out of Jobs, Recommended the Remedy.

Muncie, Ind., July 13.—George W. Croner, former representative in Congress; John N. Fitzgibbon, former assistant state factory inspector, and Harry W. Long, former prosecuting attorney, say they have been cured completely of their ills by eating sand. They had stomach trouble and tried sand as an experiment.

"The sand is not eaten as food but as something to aid the digestion of food," explained Fitzgibbon today in dictating on his discovery. "Chickens and turkeys and other fowls do the same thing. That gave us the idea."

The sand eaters received many letters regarding their novel cure.

NO MODEST CROW COULD STAY THERE

Fancy a Figure of a Woman in Modern Attire in a Corn Field.

Marquette, Wis., July 13.—Crows had been working great havoc with the newly planted corn fields of Howard Smith, a young farmer, until he went to Milwaukee and got an idea from the fashions displayed by women.

He went back and made a transformation of a male scarecrow with which the crows had become so friendly that they perched on its mimic form.

The upper part of the figure he dressed with a low necked garment and the lower part with a silk skirt. He fastened the skirt low over the forehead, hiding the ears, and upon the head he set a waving plume.

Soon after a flock of crows came hovering over the field. They were just preparing to alight when they beheld such a figure as had never before met their gaze. With one mighty caw they flew away.

If you don't believe it, ask Smithson.

NEVER STEP ON BYE OF HEALTHY SKUNK

Indiana, Pa., Sunday.—If little Dwight Nichol, whose father has a large farm here, had never joined the Boy's Naturalist Club, it would still be possible for the Nichol family to get their old watch dog, Nellie, without wearing dirty helmets. But, unfortunately, Dwight is a charter member of the local club.

His first experiment has been the adoption of three skunks for Nellie to mother, and the Nichol farm no longer smells of new timothy hay. The Nichol family has approached the problem with grave concern and averted noses.

Three weeks ago the lad found the skunks in the woods and at the cost of a fair good-bye to their mother, they came home with him. Nellie was busy caring for a little family of four puppies, and the embryonic naturalist waited an opportunity and placed three additional items in Nellie's house.

Nellie from the outset made no complaint, but in stepping clumsily over her remarkable family soon after their arrival, she happened to place a paw in an indignant little skunk's eye. The result of this error was astounding, and in the general shuffle the little pups whined and the little skunk continued to do anything that occurred to them as fitting in the circumstances.

Now when the Nichol family wish to say anything of a kindly nature to Nellie they pass it from a "upper window." She continues to act as mother to her malodorous acquisitions, but it has been noticed that at times the old dog stands about shaking his head dolefully and apparently trying to account for something.

SUCCESS OF A MEDICINE

All things succeed which fill a real need, that a doctor kept busy day and night proves his ability and skill; that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is sold in enormous quantities in almost every city, town and hamlet in America and in foreign countries as well, proves its merit, and women are found everywhere who tell of health restored by its use.

W. H. Tigerman, an inventor of Budapest, Hungary, is trying to get a franchise for an overhead monorailway between Cincinnati and Dayton, Ohio.

TIRED OF NAPPING WITH ONE EYE OPEN, HE HAS DOCTORS MAKE A LID

Sharon, La., July 13.—A new eyelid has been made for Harry B. Hill, of Wheatland, La., taken from his right leg. Fifteen years ago Hill was burned in an explosion and lost an eyelid. He was compelled to sleep with one eye open. This was annoying, particularly as he worked nights and slept days.

Buhl hospital surgeons suggested making a new eyelid. The operation was successful and now Hill can sleep without discomfort from the sun's glare.

DR. SHAW ASKS FOR CHEAPER DIVORCES

Suffrage Leader Says Decree, Now Luxury of Wealthy, Should be in Reach of Every Poor.

Philadelphia, July 13.—Divorce should not be a mere luxury to the wealthy, but when justifiable should be within the reach of every poor man, said Dr. Anna Shaw, the suffrage leader. A satisfactory national divorce law, she said, could be formulated only with the aid of women.

Under the present law, the whole problem of divorce should be taken from lawyers and placed under federal control. Divorce should not be granted on flimsy grounds, and if marriage were made more difficult divorce would diminish, she said in a speech at the Union League.

"It now costs an unnecessarily large sum for a person of either sex to obtain a divorce even on most sufficient grounds, thus making it virtually impossible for the poor to indulge in divorces," she said. "Rich persons, on the other hand, are enabled to break the bonds of wedlock when there is clearly no cogent cause. Such a system is unfair. And to whom is it attributable? To men. The absurdities of existing divorce legislation in several states have been fostered by masculine minds, not by women."

"It should be made illegal for all individuals who find life with one mate intolerable to marry within a year after being divorced. I heartily disapprove of persons who are divorced today and wed tomorrow. Marriage is sacred and should not be abused."

Feminism is wilfully confounded with woman suffrage, she said, by opponents of the latter.

"The extreme feminists wish to do away with our marriage system," she declared. "They would eliminate the idea of the home. Those ideas are not held by a single suffrage leader. We are not feminists. We have our basic idea, the granting of the ballot to women."

WATER WAGON IS COSTLY.

U. S. Loses \$3,734,857 on Whiskey, But Makes on Tobacco.

Washington, July 13.—Americans drank less whiskey during the last twelve months than they did the year before, but they consumed more beer and smoked a great many more cigarettes. Reports to the Internal Revenue Commissioner show that the receipts for the fiscal year just closed totaled \$84,069 less than for the previous year, and most of this decline was due to the falling off in tax collected on distilled spirits.

In the first eleven months of the fiscal year there was a decrease of \$3,734,857 in the income from distilled liquor. Receipts from tobacco taxes show an approximate increase over last year of \$2,800,000. This gain is due almost entirely to a phenomenal increase in the cigarette trade. The gain in receipts from fermented liquor, beer and ale, was about \$860,000.

PEER PAINTS LIPTON IN SARCASTIC COLORS

Baron Newton Attacks Yachtsman Because of Canteen Scandal.

London, July 13.—Baron Newton, who spoke eloquently of Sir Thomas Lipton in the House of Lords recently, made some more sarcastic remarks to the owner of Shamrock IV in that chamber today.

Lord Newton had asked the government whether in view of the conviction of eight civilian employees of Lipton's Limited, on charges of having bribed army officers to obtain canteen contracts for that firm, the War Office still allowed the firm to be a contractor for government supplies. He added, scathingly:

"Instead of hearing Sir Thomas Lipton condemned or criticized in connection with the canteen scandal we are daily invited to admire him as a sort of national hero, a magnificent sportsman of the true British type and a compendium of British and all other Christian virtues. It is constantly suggested that his transcendent merits can only be adequately recognized by making him a peer."

Lord Lucas, Parliamentary Under Secretary to the War Office, replied that Lipton's Limited, had been removed from the list of contractors.

BARGAINS THIS WEEK

Many bargains are offered in Nottingham's advertisement this week that will interest anyone who needs furniture, draperies or floor covering of any description. The rugs include many of Whittall's in the various grades of Wilton and body Brussels. These are drop-patterns, but absolutely perfect rugs in every respect, the designs are decidedly pleasing, the colors are very serviceable and Whittall's name assures the quality. Other timely bargains include couch hammocks and porch screens. There are many beautiful baby carriages at prices that are lower than big bargain prices. In fact, you miss a rare treat if you fail to visit Nottingham's big expansion sale. It is even better than you think it is. Reductions are on everything in the store excepting the new Whittall and Crex rugs. Hoosier cabinets, window shades and the Climax couch. These articles have a low-test price. Nothing else is reserved. Plain fact statements all and simple truth. You know the location, corner Main and Elm streets.—Adv.

cases and Window Boxes Filled

JOHN RECK & SON.

MANY HURT, TWO FATALLY, IN AUTO ACCIDENTS OF DAY

Wladislaw Chaskewitz, 20 years old, of Orange avenue, Milford, received fatal injuries while riding a motorcycle along the state road between Milford and New Haven. He died at New Haven hospital a short time later from crushed chest, fractured skull, fractured ribs and general contusions. Was operating machine at a speed estimated to be in the vicinity of 35 miles an hour when it struck a sunken pipe throwing him against a stone wall with terrific force.

Orchard, fracture of 37 Center street, Bridgeport, in Danbury hospital, probably fatally injured from severe contusions of the head, scalp wounds, multiple cuts and contusions on body. Motorcycle struck water tower.

John Marzia, Thompson street, Stratford, bruised by being knocked from a motorcycle at Yale and State streets, when machine collided with an automobile operated by William Bassick of 73 Yale street. Condition not serious.

Nicholas Sala, Jr., four years old, of Southport, fractured ribs and bruises about the body when he was struck by an automobile in Southport near the "Roundhouse." St. Vincent hospital. Automobile operated by Mrs. Fred M. Chichester of Danbury.

Miss Anna Smith of 509 Fairfield avenue this city, bruises and lacerations received at Main street and Fairfield avenue in being struck by an automobile operated by Albert M. Vack, of 464 Seaview avenue.

Frank Jephthote, 771 Cleveland avenue and Miss Helen D. Ross, 708 Cleveland avenue, struck at Main street and Fairfield avenue by an automobile operated by William Kennedy of Newtown. Minor injuries received. Jephthote and Miss Ross were knocked down.

J. H. Cahill of West Haven, thrown from his motorcycle through two thick panes of windshield glass of an automobile operated by Edward J. Monnos at Greens Farms. Artery in left arm severed. Taken to the office of Dr. Donaldson, Fairfield, and then sent home.

John Chioti, Jr., four years old, of 200 North Washington avenue, concussion of brain when the automobile operated by his father was struck by an automobile operated by Charles E. Hixley of 74 Bunnell street at Connecticut and Central avenues.

A PERFECT CATHARTIC.

There is sure and wholesome action in every dose of Foley Cathartic Tablets. They cleanse with never a gripe or pain. Chronic cases of constipation find them invaluable. Stout people are relieved of that bloated, congested feeling, so uncomfortable especially in hot weather. They keep your liver busy. Hindle's Drug Stores.—Adv.

REVOLUTIONARIES BEATEN BY DOMINICAN TROOPS

Santo Domingo, July 13.—Bands of revolutionaries suffered defeat at the hands of the Dominican government troops yesterday at San Cristobal, about 13 miles from the city of Santo Domingo, as well as at Santa Cruz Del Seybo and Sombrero.

People And Their Doings

Miss Edith O'Hara of Marion street, is spending a 10 days vacation at the Clairmont cottage, Silver Sands.

A son, weighing eight pounds, was born yesterday morning to Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth W. McNeil of Marina Park.

Miss Millicent H. Bee of North Main street, was a recent guest at the home of relatives in Brooklyn, N. Y.

Miss Susan Hawley Davis, Miss Margaret Hogan of New Haven, Alexander Howell and Robert M. Clark, the members of the quartette which rendered "The Persian Garden" so splendidly before at the concert of the Animal Rescue League this spring, have been engaged to repeat the selection at the Sheldon house, Pine Orchard, on August 7. Mrs. Davis will also sing "Meditation," from Thais, Massenet, and Mr. Howell, "Solve del Morra" from Faust.

The members of Universalist Women's club are to hold a lawn party on Wednesday afternoon and evening at the home of Mrs. A. V. Hart of William street. Mrs. F. J. Hughes to arrange for the bridge which will be played during the afternoon, while Mrs. F. M. Hammond is chairman of the dining room committee. Mrs. William Saller will have charge of finances, while Mrs. Spive Andrews will arrange for the amusement of the children who accompany their mothers to the fete in the afternoon.

Members of Lincoln Circle, No. 4, Ladies of the G. A. R., will have a basket picnic at Fort Trumbull beach on Wednesday. The party will leave Bridgeport on the 10 o'clock car from the railroad station and will get off at Ferry station at the beach. If Wednesday is stormy the picnic will be held, Thursday.

Grasshoppers in Groverville, N. Y., destroyed a two-acre field of buckwheat.

FINE CUT GLASS

The finest Cut Glass is easily distinguished by its brilliancy and clearness and the sharpness and accuracy of the cutting.

WE CARRY CUT GLASS OF ONLY ONE QUALITY

—the finest—many of the pieces being made especially for us from exclusive designs.

M. J. BUECHLER

THE RELIABLE JEWELER

46 FAIRFIELD AVE., Near Middle St.

MERSEY DOCK STRIKE TIES UP BIG LINERS

London, July 13.—A strike was started today among the Mersey dock employees, with the object of enforcing recognition of the workmen's union and bringing about the establishment of a joint board of workmen and employers to deal with disputes.

While the strike was not general, many of the power stations were rendered idle and several ocean liners were imprisoned in the docks owing to the impossibility of getting workmen.

SEATTLE MAN MAKES NEW MOTOR CAR RECORD

Portland, Ore., July 13.—Perry F. Barnes, of Seattle, driving in the Rose City Speedway Automobile Races, made a new world's record for 25 miles yesterday over a dirt track, doing the distance in 22 minutes 7.1 seconds. The former record was 22 minutes 28.3 seconds, and was made by Disbrow at San Jose track April 14, 1912.

The body of a man with a 35-pound weight tied to his neck was found in the North river at Hoboken.

SUBNORMALS FILL JAILS OF COUNTY


Chicago, July 13.—"Prison populations are composed of individuals who fall below the average physical and mental standards," declared Dr. Paul F. Bowers, physician to the Indiana state prison, today at the convention here of alienists and neurologists.

"Twenty-five per cent. of habitual criminals are feeble-minded," he said. "The feeble-minded, however, are not inherently criminal except as they are easy victims of environment. The difficulty here is in the recognizing and control of high grade feeble-minded persons."

"Alcoholism most frequently plays the part of contributing factor and not the immediate cause of crime. It serves to intensify the defect already existing."

Dr. W. S. Lindsay of Topeka, Kas., declared that sterilization of male and female incurable defectives was the only logical step and that the medical profession had not given up hope that such a law might be so safeguarded as to become operative.

A negro narrowly escaped lynching by a New York mob after he had sand-bagged the wife of his employer.



Special

FOR TUESDAY, JULY 14

LIVE LOBSTERS 24c lb

HAYES' FISH CO.

629 WATER STREET, BRIDGEPORT, CONN.

JOHN F. FAY

610 FAIRFIELD AVENUE

Furniture Dealer, Upholsterer and Cabinet Maker, Superior Fabrics for Furniture and Draperies. Tel. 74

AN AID TO HEALTH—PURE WATER

Highland Spring Water

A healthful, invigorating drink which is absolutely uncontaminated by impurities of any kind and has passed the most rigid tests.

Bottled Daily—Delivered Daily

'Phone 987

Highland Spring Water Co.

645 WARREN STREET

RUB AND SCRUB

Wear away your life over a wash tub, exhaust your strength—and how do you end?

By being obliged to send the washing out! Why not do this in the first place and save your health and strength?

We will take the family washing out your hands, and return them to you spotlessly clean.

CRAWFORD LAUNDRY CO.

FAIRFIELD AVE. and COURTLAND ST.

Hothmagle's

Expansion Sale

SPECIAL BARGAINS THIS WEEK

Rugs 10 Per Cent to 33 1/3 Per Off

Includes Whittall's fine Rugs (Drop Patterns.) Close-out Carpets at 1-2 Price.

COUCH HAMMOCKS 20 Per Cent. Off.

Regular \$5.98 quality for \$4.79. \$7.50 Value \$6. \$8.50 Value \$6.80. \$10 Value \$8. Etc.

A few large Porch Screens left at 1-3 off. A few fine Baby Carriages and Oriole Go-Baskets at half price.

All kinds of Odd pieces of FURNITURE at 25 to 33 1-3 Per Cent. off.

Glenwood Coal & Gas Ranges

and White Mountain Refrigerators in this sale at a special reduction.

ALL THE LATEST HOUSEFURNISHINGS

of every description in Expansion Sale at an extraordinary reduction for Cash.

A PRETTY GOOD TIME TO BUY

1149 MAIN STREET. The Busy Place!

CORNER ELM STREET Where Things Move.

M. J. BUECHLER

THE RELIABLE JEWELER

46 FAIRFIELD AVE., Near Middle St.

SPECIALS FOR TUESDAY

SMOKED MEATS.

SMOKED SHOULDERS 15c per lb

BONELESS HAMS 17c per lb

GROCERY BULLETIN.

Salad Oil Large Bottles 20c

Corn Starch 1 lb pkg. 5c

Williams' Root Beer Extract, 2 Bottles for 25c

Raspberry Syrup 15c Per Bottle

Broken Olives for Sandwiches 8c per Bottle

Naptha Paste for Washing and Cleaning 10c

4 Cans Potash 25c

4 Cans Chloride of Lime 25c

Pure Olive Oil 45c per Bottle

Hire's Root Beer Extract 15c

Lemon and Orange Sugar 10c and 25c Can

Robinson's Marmalade 15c and 30c per Jar

4 lb Tin 45c

7 lb Tin 95c

Curtice Bros. Jams, assorted in glass 15c

E. C. Cornflakes 4 pkg. 25c

Lime Juice Roses 33c Bottle

A Good Ceylon Tea for Making Iced Drinks 35c Pound

PUBLIC MARKET

AND BRANCH

STATE AND BANK STS. EAST MAIN ST.

Phones

Of Course You Made a Lot of Nice Pictures With Your

KODAK

On The FOURTH

NOW LET US DEVELOP AND PRINT YOUR FILMS AND PLATES.

F. LYMAN

920 MAIN STREET
126 STATE STREET

MANUFACTURING OPTICIAN

Where You Get One Dollar's Worth For Every 100 Cents

THE PEOPLE'S DAIRY

130 State Street

BUTTER

FRESH FROM THE CREAM

24—GEO. A. ROBERTSON—24

MATINEE EXCURSIONS TO PORT JEFFERSON, L. I.

Steamer PARK CITY to Port Jefferson, N. Y., every week day and Sunday. Leaves Bridgeport 1:30 p. m. Returning leaves Port Jefferson 4:30 p. m. Three hours' sail and one hour and thirty minutes on Long Island. Fare round trip 50c. Children under 12 years of age 35c.

OPENING

New Summer Trimmed Hats—New Model Pattern Hats just received at Popular Prices—All for Summer Wear

W. E. HALLIGAN

989 BROAD STREET.

FOR SALE—TWO-FAMILY HOUSE, ALL IMPROVEMENTS. PARALLEL STREET

JOSEPH P. COUGHLIN

783 East Main Street

GEO. B. CLARK & CO.

Agents For

Crawford Ranges

1057-1073 BROAD STREET
OPPOSITE POST OFFICE

Let me send you FREE PERFUME.

Write today for a testing bottle of

ED. PINAUD'S LILAC

The world's most famous perfume, every drop as sweet as the living blossom. For handkerchief, dresser and bath. Fine after shaving. All the value is in the perfume—you don't pay extra for fancy bottle. The quality is wonderful. The price only 75c (6 oz.). Send 4c for the little bottle—enough for 50 handkerchiefs.

PARFUMERIE ED. PINAUD

Department M.
ED. PINAUD BUILDING NEW YORK